Irregular accommodation in Delhi

† 527. SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:

DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that it has been found that number of irregular houses are more than regular in Delhi Metro City;

(b) if so, th*e details thereof;

(c) whether Government have identified certain officers who are responsible for large scale irregular accommodations coming up in the city; and

(d) if so, the officials identified, so far in this behalf?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) and (b) Delhi Development Authority (DDA) and Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) have reported that no specific data is available with them. DDA has further informed that the report cf the expert sub-group on Shelter, setup for preparation of Master Plan for Delhi-2021 mentions that 34% population resides in slum areas and JJ clusters and 25% of total household lives in unauthorized colonies.

(c) and (d) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Illegal occupation of DDA land

† 528. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:

SHRI RAM JETHMALANI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that 1,400 acres of land, which belonged to DDA, has been illegally occupied by other people at present;

(b) if not, the facts thereof and the total land under actual illegal occupation at the end of the year 2005;

(c) whether the officers of Delhi Development Authority have been held responsible for this illegal occupation;

(d) if so, the names of such officers; and

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.